

# THE MONDAY REPORT

## SHELTON STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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### \*\*\*\*\* WALSH TO SPEAK AT SSOC

John Walsh, father of Adam Walsh whose life and tragic abduction and death was portrayed in the NBC movie "Adam," will be the speaker Saturday, December 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of Shelton State Junior College. Walsh is being brought to Tuscaloosa by the Early Childhood Development program of the college.

Walsh's story began July 26, 1981 when his six-year-old son, Adam Walsh, was abducted from a shopping mall in Hollywood, Florida. After two weeks of what has been described as the largest manhunt in Florida's history, Adam's remains were found 150 miles north of his home.

Walsh and his wife, Reve, have led a national campaign which resulted in passage of the Missing Children Act and the establishment of a national computerized file for missing children and unidentified bodies.

Through their efforts, the Adam Walsh Resource Center was established. The Walsh family has led the fight to change laws and policies, and to teach children and parents of the need to protect themselves.

Child care facilities will be available for a \$2 cost per child. There is no admission charge to hear Walsh speak.

According to Dr. Alan Mallory, director of Shelton's early childhood program, a dinner at Tuscaloosa's historic L&N Club will be held at 5:30 p.m. During the dinner, Walsh will respond to questions, graduating child care students will be honored, and door prizes will be given away. Tickets are \$10 each and will be sold on a first come, first serve basis. Deadline for ordering tickets is Thursday, December 6, 1984.

For more information or to order tickets, contact Dr. Mallory at Shelton State, ext. 87.

### \*\*\*\*\* READERS' THEATRE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Shelton's Readers' Theatre will present a brief program of Christmas readings at 12:30 p.m. on December 10 in the music room. The Readers' Theatre is directed by Shelton instructor Linda Mason.

### \*\*\*\*\* UP WITH PEOPLE TO PERFORM

The musical group, "Up With People," will be in Tuscaloosa on December 14 for one performance scheduled at the Bama Theatre at 8 p.m. Tickets may be obtained by calling the Bama.

### \*\*\*\*\* ALUMNI DINNER PLANNED

The Shelton State Alumni Association will have their Christmas party on Friday, December 7, at 7 p.m. at the Barnwood restaurant. Reservations made by contacting Lucy Kubiszyn or Betty Brown at the Junior College Division.

### \*\*\*\*\* LIBRARY CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

During the holidays, Shelton's library will be open December 17-21 and December 31 during the day. It will close at 4:30 p.m. each of those days. Students may use the library during the day, but there will be no librarians on duty until classes resume.

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THE SHELTON SINGERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT IS SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 13 AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE JUNIOR COLLEGE AUDITORIUM. PRIOR TO THE CONCERT, THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO HAVE "CHRISTMAS CHEER" BETWEEN 6:45 AND 7:30 P.M.

### \*\*\*\*\* ENGLISH PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE SUCCESSFUL

Commendations from around the state have been given to the English faculty of Shelton State Community College for the success of the first English Professional Development conference. During a general assembly, Sharon Deck, chairman of the Humanities Division of the college, was presented a plaque in recognition of her efforts.

Dr. Charles L. Payne, chancellor of Alabama's two-year system, addressed the conference during the closing session, noting that the English Conference was "one of the most successful in the state."



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TECHNICAL TALK

The new quarter has started at the Technical Division and enrollment figures are very good, according to the Admissions Office. The night program will began Monday, December 3, 1984, and the last day of classes before the holidays is December 14.

Shelton hosted the computerized numerical control professional development conference for the state. According to instructor Mel Corder, the conference was highly successful. "The evaluations were very complimentary. The instructors said they received much hands-on training," Corder said. Several local officials, including the mayors of Tuscaloosa and Northport, attended the opening session. Johnnie Aycock, executive director of The Chamber of Commerce, was the opening speaker.

The Technical Division also hosted the welding conference which according to instructor, Mr. Porter, was highly successful.

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MISS ALABAMA TO EMCEE MISS SHELTON STATE PAGEANT

Tammy Little, 1984 Miss Alabama, will be the emcee for the 1985 Miss Shelton State Pageant which will be held February 9 in the junior college auditorium at 7 p.m. This scholarship pageant is open to any young woman between the ages of 17-26 years (as of Labor Day 1985) who is a high school graduate, single, United States citizen, student (full or part-time) at Shelton State Community College.

Applications may be obtained from Sandra Day or Judy Austin at the Junior College Division and Lyda Black at the Technical Division. All applications for the pageant must be in by December 14, 1984.

The winner of the Miss Shelton State Pageant will represent the college at the Miss Alabama Pageant which will be held in Birmingham next summer. The winner of that pageant will be the state's representative to the Miss America Pageant in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

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SHELTON ENSEMBLE TO PERFORM DURING CHRISTMAS SEASON

Dressed in old English costumes, the Shelton ensemble, a ten-member student group from the college, will perform several musical numbers during the Christmas season. Members of the ensemble were chosen from Shelton's choral group, the Shelton Singers.

On Monday, December 3, the ensemble presented a program at 12:30 p.m. in the center hall of the Junior College Division. The music included songs by Praetorium, Christianse, Whitford, arrangements of "Go Tell it on the Mountain," "What Child is This," "Silent Night," "White Christmas," "Silver Bells," "Home for the Holidays," and other popular numbers.

On Wednesday, December 5, the ensemble will perform for the Hale County Education Association, and on December 10, they will be part of the lighting of the annual Christmas celebration held each year at the Tuscaloosa County Courthouse. On Saturday, December 8, they will perform at McFarland Mall at 4 p.m.

Members of the ensemble are: Leah Hamner; Sarah Lumpkin; Karen Hayes; Ginny Ambrose; Teresa Hill; Sunnie Brown; Steve Seale; Steve Stewart; Randy Vaughn; Bryan Jones. The ensemble is directed by Eleanor McElvy, and Patsy Mitchell is the accompanist.

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SHELTON TAKES TOP HONORS IN STATEWIDE THEATRE COMPETITION

The Tuscaloosa Community Players, a local community theatre company sponsored in cooperation with Shelton State Community College, took top honors in statewide competition recently. The production, "Side by Side" by Sondheim, under the direction of Shelton drama instructor Paul K. Looney, won first place at the Festival of American Community Theatres held in Mobile at the Alabama Theatre League convention.

The group competed with four other community theatre groups in the state. TCP will represent the state at the Southeastern Theatre Conference which will be held in Tampa, Florida, in March. Last year TCP was first runner-up in this regional competition with their production of "Under Milkwood."

Besides Looney, other cast members include Susan Carole Brown and Anne Snow Duraski, Shelton part-time instructors, and Rogers McAllister. Pianist is Dayhne Gramsley.

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EXHIBITION BY THE INSTITUTE FOR THE BOOK ARTS

An "Exhibition by the Institute for the Book Arts" will be on exhibit through December 14 in the library of the Junior College Division. The exhibit features the five areas of the book arts: Typography; binding; decorative papers; and handmade papers. The Institute is directed by Richard-Gabriet Rummonds and is administratively part of the Graduate School of Library Service at the University of Alabama.